

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Attorney Docket No. **020431.0753**

In re Application of: §  
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**CHINNAPPAN ET AL.** § Examiner:  
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Serial No. **09/745,978** § **JAMES H. ZURITA**  
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Filed: **22 DECEMBER 2000** § Art Unit: **3676**  
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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR**  
**FACILITATING ELECTRONIC**  
**COMMERCE TRANSACTIONS** § Confirmation No.: **8477**  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir/Madam:

A Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment in the subject Application was mailed to the undersigned on 16 January 2009, which provides for a shortened statutory response period ending Tuesday, 17 February 2009, since 16 February 2009 is a Federal Holiday. Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.